



**Council on the Social Status of Black Men and Boys
Council Teleconference**

Meeting Minutes

January 7, 2008

3:00 – 5:00 PM

Attendees:

Dr. Albert Simpson Jr.
Ms. Lillian Lima
Mr. Torey Alston
Mr. Levi Williams, Chair
Ms. Ana Sanchez
Mr. Bill James
Dr. Adeola Fayemi
Mr. Christopher Norwood, Vice Chair
Dr. Brittany Birken
Dr. Adela Beckerman
Dr. Anthony McCoy
Mr. David Pridgen
Senator Frederica Wilson
Dr. Shairi Turner
Dr. Billy Close
Ms. Thometta Cozart, member of the public
Mr. Gregory Lewis, member of the public
Ms. Arie Sailor, member of the public

Staff:

Mr. Rick Nuss
Ms. Carly Hermanson
Mr. Michael Coard

Item #1: Roll Call

- Quorum established

Item #2: Annual Report Overview

- Structural and grammatical changes

Item #3: Annual Report Approval

- Motion to accept the reports structure and form by Torey Alston, second by Dr. Albert Simpson Jr. Unanimously accepted.
- Motion to change “African-American” to “Black” by Senator Frederica Wilson, second by Dr. Albert Simpson Jr. Unanimously accepted.
- Motion to accept the reports content and allow Barbara Cohen-Pippin, Carly Hermanson, and Michael Coard to make grammatical and structural changes, by Dr. Albert Simpson Jr., second by Senator Frederica Wilson. Unanimously accepted.

Item #4: Adjournment at 4:45 PM